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For this section—Cloudy tonight tomorrow; not much change in temperature

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WEEK OF PRAYER JANUARY 4-11

Services Each Night at 7.45 At Different Churches

TOPICS ANNOUNCED

"An Awakened Church" is General Topic—Program by Federal Council of Churches in America.

In conformity with the program outlined by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, the Week of Prayer will be observed by the various Protestant Churches in Alexandria as follows:

The week of Prayer January 4-11th, 1920.

General Topic—An Awakened Church.

Sunday, January 4—The Church Awakened by Her New Opportunities.

Monday, January 5—The Church Awakened by National Self-Examination.

Tuesday, January 6.—The Church Awakened by a Vision of the World's Needs.

Wednesday, January 7,—The Church Awakened by the New Call for Co-operation.

Thursday, January 8—The Church Awakened by a Revival of Family Religion.

Friday, January 9—The Church Awakened by the Call of Workers.

Sunday, January 11.—The Church Awakened by a Rediscovery of the Reality and Power of Prayer.

Monday—Services will be held in the First Baptist Church and the speaker will be Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church.

Tuesday—Service in the Second Presbyterian Church, speaker, Rev. A. E. Spielman, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church.

Wednesday—Service in Trinity M. E. Church, speaker Rev. J. G. Hill, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church.

Thursday,—Services in M. E. Church South, speaker Rev. Owen L. Lloyd, pastor of the Second Baptist Church.

Friday—Services in Christ P. E. Church, speaker Rev. Dr. J. L. Allison pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church.

On Sunday the pastors will occupy their own pulpits. The services will begin each night at 7.45 p. m.

ACCIDENT TO GAZETTE PRESS

Owing to a serious accident to the Gazette press, only a few hundred copies of the paper were issued yesterday. A force of machinist from the shops of J. and H. Aitcheson were kept busy throughout the day making the necessary repairs to the damaged parts. The Gazette regrets the accident and assures its subscribers and advertisers that everything possible has been done to adjust the trouble.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of stock holders of the Williams, Belmont Co., Incorporated, will be held at the principal office of the company in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 128 South Fairfax street, on the 4th Tuesday in January, 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the annual meeting.
307-26tc John Mulstein, Secretary.

BURBANK WANTS THEM

A new and wonderful fruit now on the market and for sale at JESTER'S.

Famous for their juice and kick, electrical Currents.

JESTER'S,
307-1c King and Patrick Streets.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK
Alexandria, Va.

At a meeting of the directors of this institution, held today, the regular semi-annual dividend of six per cent was declared, payable on and after January 2, 1920, to stockholders of record December 31, 1919. The surplus fund was also increased from $200,000.00 to $210,000.00
305-8t. M. L. Dinwiddie, Cashier

TWO FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Simms who died Wednesday afternoon, took place this afternoon from her late residence 826 Duke street. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ P. E. Church Burial was in Union cemetery.

The deceased was seventy-six years old and is survived by two sons and two daughters.

The body of Richard H. Thorp, eighty-two years old, who died yesterday morning at his home 832 North Fairfax street, was shipped this morning by undertakers Demain and Son to Marshall, Fauquier county, Va., for burial. His wife, four daughters and four sons and living.

VIRGINIA CONSISTORY

Scottish Rite Masons Elect Officers at Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of Virginia Consistory No. 2 A. A. S. R. of Free Masonery held at the temple last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Samuel W. Pitts, 32, K. C. C. H., Venerable Master of Kadosh.

B. J. Richards, 32 K. C. C. H., Prior.

V. H. Peele, 32, Preceptor.

C. C. Batchellor, 32, Chancellor.

A. M. Sherwood, 32, K. C. C. H., Minister of State.

F. W. Latham, 33, Hon. Almoner and Registrar.

William Lewis Allen, 33, Hon. Treasurer.

Chester A. Gwinn, 32, K. C. C. H., Prelate.

H. L. Darnell, 32, Master of Ceremonies.

B. K. Smith, 32, K. C. C. H., Expert.

L. P. Chauncey, 32, Asst. Expert.

N. L. Williamson, 32, Captain of the Guard.

Geo. W. Zachary, 32, Steward.

W. J. Waller, 32, Soloist.

H. G. Harryman, 32, Organist.

WILL HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Master Mason's Club to Celebrate New Year's Day

The Master Mason's Club of this city will have open house at their club rooms King and Washington streets, New Year's Day.

This organization has grown from what was just a few Master Masons who were living in our midst, and employed at the Virginia Ship Building Corporation to a real live organization, and while they are at present comfortably situated, if the present membership drive is the success which it promises to be, it will be necessary for the club to move into more commodious quarters.

This matter has already received the attention of the board of governors. A hearty welcome awaits all resident and visiting Master Masons at all times, but it would be particularly pleasant to have them drop in at the club rooms on New Year's Day.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK INCREASES DIVIDEND

As will be seen by a notice published in this issue, the directors of the First National Bank of this city have increased the semi-annual dividend of the bank to seven per cent, which places the stock on a fourteen per cent per annum dividend basis.

This institution, the oldest National Bank in Virginia, since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends, $684.500.00, and has at this date, the largest capital, surplus and undivided profits of any instiuttion in Northern Virginia, $534,000.00.

NOTICE

The Board of Directors of Alexandria Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation has ordered a call for the first cash payment of 40 per cent on all subscriptions to stock of the above corporation, payable December 29th. Subscribers will please call at the office of the Treasurer to make payment and also arrange notes for deferred payments of 60 per cent.
306-3c Preston O. Cockey, Treas.

SOON IN ALEXANDRIA

Everybody trying to buy property on King street.

The biggest little store in town. The King Street Jester.

JESTER'S
306-1c. King and Patrick streets.

Norfolk salt water Oysters and Hampton Bar clams Jacob Brill, foot of King Street., 227-tf

GENERAL W. R. COX DEAD IN RICHMOND

Served His State as Judge, Congressman and Attorney-General

LED LAST CHARGE

Deceased, a Fearless Soldier, Took Active Share in Reconstruction of South—Was 88 Years Old.

General William Ruffin Cox one of the few remaining leaders of the Southern forces in the civil war, died yesterday afternoon in Richmond after a prolonged illness, due to a nervous breakdown. He was eighty-eight years old.

General Cox is survived by his widow.

General William Ruffin Cox was born at Scotland Neck, North Carolina, March 11, 1831, and his life has been full of notable achievements. While in his teens he studied law at Lebanon college. He practiced at the bar in Nashville in 1852, entering a partnership with John G. Ferguson, a distinguished lawyer. He later practiced in Raleigh.

Shortly before the civil war he equipped a light battery and subsequently recruited a company of infantry. He was later appointed Major of Second North Carolina troops. After six months he was put in command of heavy artillery at Pratt's Point on the Potomac river. He served heroically at Mechanicsville, Malvern Hill, Sharpsburg, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, Spotsylvania, the Valley campaign, Sailor's Creek and Petersburg. His brigade made the last charge at Appomattax.

After the war General Cox practiced law in Raleigh and at times held important positions.

In 1892 General Cox was elected secretary of the United States Senate. He was grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina, and for many years trustee of the University of the South.

MRS. E. H. KEMPER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Edward H. Kemper entertained at a tea yesterday afternoon, at her home in Rosemont, in honor of her daughter in law, Mrs. Edward Lee Kemper, of Marion, N. C., and her daughter, Mrs. William H. T. Brooke, of Richmond. Mrs. Roderick Baynham Brooke was also in the receiving party, while Mrs. Herbert Oliver, Mrs. Holland B. Judkins, Mrs. Stanley G. Blanton, Mrs. George Moncrief Anderton and Miss Amelia Brooke assisted in the parlor. Mrs. R. E. Acton served coffee and Mrs. Julian T. Burke, Jr., served ices. Those assisting in the dining room were Miss Sarah Kemper, Miss Charlotte Kemper, Miss Elizabeth Boothe, Miss Mary Thornton Moncure, Miss Margaret Moncure, Miss Josephine Gregg, Miss Collins Jones, Miss Sarah Cox, Miss Julia Hopkins, Miss Ellen Burke, Miss Eugenia Griffith, Miss Fortune Kirkpatrick and Miss Marie Gasson.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors held December 23, 1919, a semi annual dividend of seven per cent (7 per cent) was declared, payable on or after January 2nd, 1920.
306-6t George E. Warfield, Cashier

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Odd Fellows Joint Stock Company will be held Monday, January 5th, 1920, at 8 p. m., at Odd Fellows Hall, South Columbus street, Alexandria, Va.

C. C. Brooks, President.
306-4p. Wm. H. Skinner, Secty.

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank will be held at the banking house, January, 13th, 1920, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.
294-30t M. L. Dinwiddie, Cashier

ALEXANDRIA NEWSPAPER MAN RECEIVES TESTIMONIAL

Presentation Speech Which is Responded to by Recipient of Testimonial

About mid-day last Wednesday Mr. M. B. Harlow did what he had often done before, entered the sanctum of the Gazette, where he is always welcome—not, however, on this occasion solely on a friendly visit, but for the purpose of tendering Mr. Luther H. Thompson a fitting testimonial on the 59th anniversary of his entrance into the office of the Alexandria Gazette. After short formalities incident to his greeting he spoke as follows:

"Mr. Thompson: As a life-long friend, it is one of the pleasant duties in my life to present to you on behalf of a number of your friends and fellow citizens this testimonial of their appreciation of your valuable services rendered not only as the chief editorial writer of the Alexandria Gazette, but for your long service to the city of Alexandria, holding as you have in past years not only complimentary positions, but at one time the post of Mayor of our city, in all which places you have shown yourself worthy of the trust confided in you."

Mr. Harlow then handed Mr. Thompson a fine gold watch with the following inscription upon the case:

Presented by the
Citizens of Alexandria, Va.,
to
Luther H. Thompson,
Commemorating His 59th Anniversary
With the Alexandria Gazette
December 26, 1919.

Mr. Thompson upon receiving the tribute said:

"After an active newspaper life extending three score years, during which time I have been honored with official positions, it is gratifying to know that I enjoy the confidence of the representative people of this community, in which I was born and reared, and I receive this tribute with the appreciation it deserves, to carry upon my person during the remainder of my earthly pilgrimage. As a companion it will be a constant reminder of the goodness of my friends of whom I am justly proud, especially M. B. Harlow, who conceived and brought to the birth this beautiful and useful testimonial. While the shadows are lengthening and I look upon the dial I will ever remember that this tribute is from those who have always been kindly disposed toward me. My soul goes out to them one and all."

We are told that about five hundred years before the Christian era a terrible plague raged in Athens. The terrified people offered sacrifices in every temple invoking the gods to bring the pestilence to a close. It continued its work of death, however, until an Athenian suggested that a flock of sheep be turned loose in the city, and many temples being in Athens at the time, it was supposed the sheep would stop in front of the altar of the god or goddess who was angry with the city. The sheep did not, however, stop in front of a temple, but on a vacant lot where they were offered up as a sacrifice to the Unknown God, after which the plague ceased. This was the altar Paul referred to in his address on Aeropagus. The recipient of the testimonial described above has not the names of any of the donors save that of Mr. Harlow, and, like the Athenians of old, he can only speculate concerning the identify of his unknown friends.

IN MEMORIAM

CARTER—In kind and loving remembrance of my dear wife, Bessie Carter, who entered into life eternal one year ago December 25th, 1919. A loving wife and devoted mother. Gone but not forgotten.

By her husband,
306-1p. Irving C. Carter.

MARRIAGE NOTICE

GADDY-McCARTY—Tuesday evening, December 23, 1919, by the Rev. Dr. Eugene B. Jackson Myrtle McCarty and W. D. Gaddy. 306-1t.

Mrs. James Hunter died at her home in Ashland, Va., at 8 o'clock this morning after an illness of several months. Mrs. Hunter was Miss Louise Potts, a sister of Mrs. Charles Keith Carlin, of this city, and had a number of friends here. Mrs. Carlin left for Ashland yesterday.

JAMES M. DUNCAN SEEKS MAYORALTY

Formal Announcement of His Candidacy Made Today

FOR PROGRESSIVE CITY

Has Been Actively Engaged in Matters for Welfare and Betterment of Alexandria.

Mr. James M. Duncan, whose name for several days has been heard in connection with the mayoralty fight in the spring, today made official announcement that his hat is in the ring.

This declaration on the part of Mr. Duncan to enter this fight will no doubt be hailed with satisfaction not only by his friends, but by that progressive element of our citizens who have been urging him to act as standard bearer for a bigger and better Alexandria.

Mr. Duncan, who has been engaged in business in Alexandria all of his life and has been ever active in every interest looking to her welfare and advancement, is well known. He has not only had a successful business career, but has always associated himself with all mercantile and social organizations that are primarily for the advancement of Alexandria and it is assured that his fight will be along aggressive and progressive lines and will make its strongest appeal to those interested in a wide awake administration of our city affairs. Mr. Duncan will make known to the public at a later date his views.

WILL REPEAT XMAS MUSIC

Elaborate Program at St. Paul's Tomorrow Night

The Christmas music will be repeated at St. Paul's Church tomorrow morning.

The evening service at 7:30 p. m., will be musical, the hymns and selections being appropriate for the Christmas season.

Kimming's service in E flat will be used, and in place of a sermon the following program will be rendered: "Birthday of the King," and "Star of the East," by C. Whitney Coombs; "He Shall Feed His Flock" and "Come Unto Him," from "The Messiah," "Night of Nights," by Vande Water and "O Holy Night," by Adam.

In addition to these solos, the quartet will sing "Watchman, Tell us of the Night," by Harry Rowe Shelley, and the program will conclude with Farmers' "Gloria," in B flat by the chorus.

The soloists will be Mesdames Ness, Fowler and Tuccimei and Messrs. Ogden, Waller and Duval. All are invited.

STOCKHOLDERS NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria National Bank will be held in their banking house in the city of Alexandria, Va., on January 13th, 1920, at 11 o'clock a. m. The purpose of the meeting is the election of directors for the year 1920, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
294-30t L. H. Dudley, Cashier.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Gorden Hall and Norman Mallette, engaged in the electrical contracting business, has this day been dissolved and the business in the future will be conducted by Norman Mallette.
307-2p. Dec. 26, 1919. Gordon Hall

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Bernard McCann, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same, properly certified to the undersigned for payment.

John D. Normoyle Executor.
297-10c

CHURCH SERVICES

Salvation Army, Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., and Salvation meeting at 8 p. m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. Louis Smet rector, masses at 7, 9 and 11 a. m., and evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl J. Goette, pastor, 11 a. m., subject, "Song of the Angels," Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Second Baptist Church, Rev. O. P. Lloyd will preach at 11 a. m, and at 8 p m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 7 p. m.

St. Paul's P. E. Church, Rev. Dr. P. P. Phillips, rector, services; Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Men's Bible Class, 9:45 a. m.; services at 11 a. m., and evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Grace P. E. Church, Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, order of services tomorrow; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 8 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church, Rev Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor, at both morning and evening services special Christmas message and anthems by the choir. Sunday school, 9.30 a. m. and Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Church, east side of south Washington street, Rev. A. E. Spielman, pastor. Sunday School and adult Bible Class, 9:45 a. m. 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, subject, Phillippine Islands. 7:45 Illustrated service.

Free Methodist Church, south Lee street, Rev. L. H. Kelley, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 o'clock, followed by class meeting. Children's class meeting at 2 p. m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Preaching at 7:30. All welcome.

Owing to the repairs to the heating plant of Christ Church services tomorrow both at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., will be held in the Parish Hall. The work will be completed and services held in the church Sunday, January 4.

Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, North Columbus street. Rector, Rev. Dr. William Jackson Morton. Sunday School and Immanuel Bible Class, 9:30 a. m. Services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., in the Parish Hall, owing to repairs to the heating plant of the church.

Methodist Episcopal Church, South west side of South Washington street near King street. Rev. Dr. E. V. Register, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. The Henry K. Field Bible Class formerly will meet in the Young People's Building at 9.45 a. m. Come, you will find a hearty welcome.

PATTERSON-STEINER WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Ellen B. M. Patterson, daughter of Mrs. Annie Patterson, and Henry B. Steiner, both of this city, took place this morning at 9 o'clock at the rectory of St. Mary's Catholic Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. F. Kelly, assistant pastor. Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Steiner left for a northern bridal trip.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the directors of the Alexandria Iron Works will be held at the office, Royal and Wilkes street, January 1st, 1920, at 9 a. m.

By order of the President,
299-12t. A. S. Mankin, Secty.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at the banking house, Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, between the hours of eleven o'clock a. m., and twelve o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.

George E. Warfield, Cashier.
295-30t

ILLUSTRATED SERVICE

There will be another one of those popular travel talks at Trinity Methodist Church Sunday night, the subject will be: "The Phillippine Islands. The public is invited.
307-1p.

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Mrs. Mary B. Yates is quite sick at her home in South Patrick street.

Alexander-Washington Lodge of Masons No. 22, will hold its annual election of officers tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hulfish are spending the holidays with Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Dodge near Richmond, Va.

W. W. Simpson has sold to John Finnell and wife house and lot at the northeast corner of Queen and Pitt streets.

First Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. E. S. Jackson pastor, services at 11 a. m., and 7.45 p. m. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.; B. Y. P.U., at 7 p. m.

A marriage license was issued in Washington Wednesday to Daniel C. Lamberson, of Alexandria, and Bessie Nadine Williams of Washington.

Miss Ada V. Jackson, of New York, and Mrs. Grover Gouldman, of Fredericksburg, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Mansfield.

Miss Barbara Kline, of Barcroft, Va., and Miss Bessie Perkins, of Richmond, Va., were the guests of Miss Daisy Crockett and family for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert McCuen, Norfolk, Va., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. McCuen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCuen, the Wagar apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Von Zalinski and Mr. William Boswell, of New York, are the guests of Mrs. Isobel G. Boswell, at her home in North Washington street.

Masters Bernard and Henry Clay and Miss Margaret Yates are home from Anne Arundel Academy, Millersville, to spend the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. Mary B. Yates on South Patrick street.

Miss Margaret Modell Edenhart and Mr. John Joseph Field, of Washington, were married at eight o'clock this morning at St. Mary's rectory by Rev. L. F. Kelly.

The marriage of Miss Esther Price Mansfield and Mr. George Edgar Petitt, both of this city, will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the M. E. Church South, Rev. Dr. E. V. Register the pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Wilber Reid wishes to acknowledge for the Alexandria Hospital with thanks for the following Christmas donations: Mr. Robinson Moncure, $10; Seminary Chapel through Rev. Dr. Berryman Green, $45.18; Mr. B. Wheatley, $25.

Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. G. J. Hill pastor, subject 11 a. m., "The Angel Chorus"; 7.45 p. m., "The Christ Peace and the World's Unrest During the Past Five Years" Sunday School 9.30 and Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. Sunday school cantata Tuesday evening.

Mr. J. T. Arrington formerly of this city, but who, for the past three years has been connected with the General Fire Sprinkler Company, is spending the holidays with his sisters in Queen street. Mr. Arrington has just returned from Trenton, New Jersey, where he has been employed for several months.

The State Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Edmonds Contracting company, incorporated, Rosslyn, Va., Maximum $50.000; minimum, $10,000. R. W. Conklin, president; A. R. Hester, secretary and S. R. Edmonds, all of Washington, D. C. To manufacture and deal in building materials, fuel, ice, cement and brick.

The class of '17 of the Alexandria High School held its second annual class reunion and banquet last night at the Belvoir Hotel which was greatly enjoyed by all present In addition to members of the class attending there were members of the faculty the four years the class of 1917 attended and Capt. W. H. Sweeney, superintendent of schools.

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QUIET CHRISTMAS DAY

An English shoemaker, of philanthropic instincts, upon entering manhood, said he would not leave the world until he had in some manner bettered the condition of his fellow beings. A public road had for years been closed by a certain lord, to the inconvenience of many, and the knight of St. Crispin made a move against the peer for the purpose of forcing him to open the highway. After long years of litigation and disappointment, the despotic lord was forced to open the road by an edict of the court. The shoemaker, after the accomplishment of the aim of a lifetime, said he would die contented.

During the past two score years the Gazette at the approach of the Christmas season suggested that the celebration of the anniversary of the birth of the Prince of Peace should be of a more quiet nature than was the custom at that time. The streets of the city were converted into an inferno by the immoderate use of explosives, while the effects of too much convivialty were always in evidence.

It took time to bring about any perceptible change, but eventually it became noticeable that times were changing. The custom of keeping open house on Christmas and the circulation of intoxicants was not so much in evidence, and yesterday it seemed to be wanting altogether. Explosives were seldom heard, and in the greater part of the city were conspicuous by their total absence.

But everybody was happy, as we can be without abusing the blessings of heaven.

A quarter of a century ago it was the custom to place about a dozen extra policemen on duty Christmas Day, and their services were needed. Only the usual force were on the streets yesterday, and their services were not invoked. Instead of a long docket on the day following Christmas, no cases were before the Police Court this morning, nor have there been for four consecutive days.

CONTEMPT FOR POLICEMEN

Harry Handen, a taxicab driver, was fined $35 and costs by Justice Johannsen, in Central Police Court, of Baltimore, Wednesday because of his attitude toward Patrolmen Leon and Kohler, when they approached him Tuesday night to make an inquiry.

Handen, according to the patrolmen, called them "bums" and pigeons." He was fined $25 and costs on the charge of disorderly conduct. After paying his fine he sneered at the policemen when leaving the courtroom. He was brought back on the charge of contempt of court and was fined $10.

We have copied the above for the purpose of directing attention not only in Alexandria, but in every place, to the fact that jeering officers of the law annoying or interfering with them in any manner while in the discharge of their duties, is actionable. Such offenders can be handled for disorderly conduct, and the Baltimore justice acted within his powers.

It is not often that bystanders in Alexandria make themselves objectionable to policemen while in the discharge of their duties. Occasionally, however, some outspoken individuals do, and such are generally made to face a charge of disorderly conduct.

Should a member of the police force commit an overt act he would be made to answer the charge before the Police Commissioners. Every member of the force should be treated with proper civility. Should any one have umbrage against an officer of the law he should remember that it is caused by personal divergences, and that the officer's position should be respected.

One of the laws of Confucius was to the effect that positions must receive proper respect, no matter who may be filling them. The injunction of our New Testament is based upon the same principle.

PROPOSED VIRGINIA MEMORIAL

The special session of the Legislature last summer passed a joint resolution known as Senate joint resolution No. 6, which provides for a memorial to "All of Virginia's sons who have contributed to the glorious record thus made, whether by having made the supreme sacrifice, or whether surviving, whether on land or sea, whether at the battle front or in other lines of service."

This joint resolution further provides for a commission to be appointed by the General Assembly which is to consider and report at the next regular session some suitable form of memorial.

We trust the commission will report in favor of some memorial which will serve a useful as well as a sentimental purpose. The country is now filled with silly and useless monuments. Some of these not only inspire no sentiment of reverence but excite derision by their ludicrous effigies and grotesque caricatures. Washington is a notable example of a city afflicted with the worst equestrian statues in the world.

A handsome bridge, a fine turnpike or some useful public building or institution it seems to us is the fitting way to commemorate valor consecrated to service.

The bronze hero caracoling on a bronze stallion in a city park has scarce the dignity and certainly not one half the useful function of a wooden Indian in front of a tobacco shop.

THE DEADLY "SUBSTITUTE"

The rapid increase in the number of deaths of persons who still persist in drinking so called liquor, furnished by bootleggers, is causing alarm. Deaths from such decoctions are reported all over the United States many having occurred during Christmas week.

The Gazette has several times sounded warning, as during the past few months a considerable quantity of so called liquor has been seized by the police of this city in raids upon suspected places. There is every reason to believe that fatalities have occurred here during the past year from the use of deadly potions, while in some cases certain persons addicted to drink have had their constitutions greatly impaired.

The secret manufacture of "substitutes" and of alcoholic mixtures with a "kick," but also with a sting that threatens life itself, is taking on large proportions.

Wood alcohol chemical mixtures and concoctions that are poisonous in their effects are "bootlegged" to an alarming extent. Beverages that can be made in a cellar can be and are sold to the unwary. It is not difficult to foresee an enormous traffic in deadly stuff brewed by unscrupulous profiteers who care only for the financial gain that there is in illicit traffic.

Eighteen persons are dead and several others are critically ill in hospitals in Springfield, Mass., and Holyoke, as the result it is believed, of drinking some form of alcohol contained in liquor, which the men are said to have bought Christmas day. Fourteen of the men died in Chicopee and the other four in Holycke, while many of those ill in the hospitals are not expected to live.

Eight men of foreign birth are dead in Hartford, Conn., from drinking liquor which they thought was whisky.

Twelve barrels of a mixture presumed to be palatable, but requiring water to lessen its strength, were bought of a New York firm for $12,000, according to statements made to the Hartford police, who believe the liquid has a wood alcohol base and a coloring was added to make it look like whisky. The liquid was served over the bar of a saloon.

BACK GIVES OUT

Plenty of Alexandria Readers Have This Experience.

You tax the kidneys—overwork them—

They can't keep up the continual strain.

The back may give out—it may ache and pain;

Urinary troubles may set in.

Don't wait longer—take Doan's Kidney Pills.

Alexandria people tell you how they act.

Mrs. Mary Williams, 914 Duke St., Alexandria, says: "About two years ago I was suffering terribly from kidney trouble. My back pained me so at times I could hardly get about. Nights, lying in bed, it seemed as though my back were broken. My kidneys acted much too freely and that broke my rest. Mornings I felt stiff and sore and could hardly get out of bed. I was completely run down. Doan's Kidney Pills soon gave me relief and after I had finished two boxes my kidneys acted naturally and the pains in my back were gone. I was entirely cured."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Williams had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

CREED OF ANARCHISTS

What kind of a world would this be if all the women and all the men in it subscribed to the creed of Emma Goldman? This is her creed as stated at one of her meetings:

"I represent the devil. I am an apostle upholding glorious freedom, the apostle standing out against law and order and decency and morality. I am for the devil who leads the way to the absolute yielding up to all the emotions here and now. Women are the slaves of little laws and conventions. They'll learn to break the laws some day."

This is an honest, if a diabolical, confession of faith. It is the platform of the moral anarchist and of the political anarchist—freedom from all forms of obligation, freedom to be a beast or a devil. It may be glorious to Emma and other apostles of unrestrained savagery, but it will have little attraction for most men and women, even the irreligious and immoral, because it is clear that it would be extremely unpleasant and uncomfortable in actual practice. It would not mean freedom at all—it would mean simply the tyranny of the stronger animal.

Emma belongs in the human jungle, and she goes where she will have a larger opportunity to practice what she preaches. But, after all, a naked and avowed disciple of the devil is not so dangerous as one who comes with a subtler and less repulsive doctrine. The Goldmans and Berkmans are their own antidote. Perhaps we have lost something in depriving ourselves of these human arguments against a gospel that would lead civilization down to the mire and hell of the "glorious freedom" that prevailed when man was less than human and worse than beast.—(Baltimore Sun.

CHARLES F. BUTTON DIES

Brother of State Commissioner of Insurance Victim of Attack of Pneumonia

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 26.—Chas. Fletcher Button died Monday night at his home, Laurel Hill, Appomattox County, after one week's illness, 63, the immediate cause of death being pneumonia complicated with paralysis. He was born in Lynchburg, being a son of the late Chas. W. and Mary E. Button, and for some time was associated with his father in conducting the Lynchburg Virginian.

Later, he removed to the old country home in Appomattox, where he had lived ever since. At the time of his death he was justice of the peace, an office he had held for 25 years. He was unmarried.

WOULDN'T SHAVE MOUSTACHE

Paris, Dec. 26.—Appendicitis caused by moustaches is the latest curious case just reported to the French Society of Medicine by two Paris surgeons.

They declare they recently operated on a patient in whose case the inflammation was found to be due to a hair from his moustaches which he had swallowed with his food.

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described as Torture Relieved by Black-Draught

Rossville, Ga—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would catch me, and I got so I castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be decribed as torture.

I sent and bought Theford's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theford's Black-Draught."

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You can raise a town from the dead.
And while you make your personal stake,
Your neighbors can make one, too
Your town will be what you want to see
It isn't the town it's you!

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PLANNED BIG STRIKE

Ninety-eight per cent. of the 125,000 Union Railway machinists voted in November to strike with other trades in the event Congress enacted the Cummins railroad bill with its antistrike provision.

In making this announcement yesterday Wm. H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, said the vote was taken before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee reported out the Cummins measure, and that the result was not officially published because the association did not want to appear in the attitude of attempting to threaten Congress.

The machinists' membership is around a half million, but not more than 125,000 of this number are employed on railroads.

President Johnston explained that the strike vote stipulated that union railway machinists would quit work if the Cummins bill was passed by both branches of Congress not by one.

"When the roads were taken over by the government the employes were free." Mr. Johnston said, "and we propose that if they are turned back to private ownership, the employes shall be equally free. There is no necessity for such drastic legislation as is provided for in the Cummins bill. There never has been a general railroad strike, and there never will be, in my opinion."

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Winter Coats

Many men folks, unable to decide what to give the women members of their families at Christmas time, fill their gift lists with money.

For those women of Alexandria, who received such gifts we know of no more attractive opportunities for useful spending than in this **After Christmas Sale** of coats for women, misses and children.

This sale embodies practically every coat in our large stock and the prices have been cut to but a fraction of their original price.

MISSES' FINE COATS

Beautiful materials — Bolivia, fortuna, lustrola, silvertone and peachbloom, richly trimmed with furs or plain tailored in handsome models. The colors are brown, beaver, tan, new blue, etc. Large collars, muff cuffs, blouse backs, new belts and beautiful linings are some of the appealing features of style. Sizes run from 6 to 14 years.

$12.50 Coats now	$8.50
$15.00 Coats now	$9.50
$19.00 Coats now	$14.50
$25.00 Coats now	$17.50
$29.50 Coats now	$19.50

WOMEN'S COATS

The number of coats included in this sale and the desirability of each coat in quality, color, style and workmanship commend them to every woman, even at regular price. Now at greatly reduced prices, the interest of careful buyers should be largely increased.

Coats made of the finest fabrics, such as velours, kerseys, silvertones, Bolivia, heavy coatings for the coldest weather and fancy mixtures in splendid variety.

$25 and $29.50 Coats now	$18.50
$35 and $39.50 Coats now	$25.00
$49.50 Coats now	$35.00
$59.50 Coats now	$42.50
$69.50 Coats now	$49.50
$75 and $85 Coats now	$55.00

And to match the sale of coats we have made great reductions in all other departments of the store where a few days ago, Christmas reigned supreme.

If you need a new coat, you cannot afford to miss this big clearance sale. We have styles and sizes for the misses and the little girls, as well as for the older women.

Read the prices below—then come in and see these coats.

After Christmas Sale of CHILDREN'S COATS

All of the newest materials and style effects will be shown in our display of coats for the youngsters in this sale. Every child between the ages of 3 and 6 years can be fitted from this big sale showing and now is the time to avail yourself of the opportunity. This sale will last but a few days as the prices now quoted on these coats will move them out of stock rapidly.

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FORMERLY TO $79.50 AT .. **$45.00**
FORMERLY TO $89.50 AT .. **$55.00**
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STRIKES BLOW AT SHIPS

Passenger Liners Will be Unable to Compete With "Wet" Foreign Vessels

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Prohibition and the shipping question yesterday promised to become entangled when it was learned that American passenger ships will be virtually put out of business by competing lines under a foreign flag because the latter will be able to have bars on board and sell liquor when outside the three-mile limit.

At the Shipping Board yesterday it was stated that the sale of all German ships taken over by the United States was contemplated. Originally there were 105 of these vessels, aggregating 682,000 gross tons, but several were lost during the war and others have been disposed of. The estimated strength of the fleet is now sixty-five ships, of which from twenty five to thirty are for either passenger or passenger and freight service. These vessels are from 5000 tons gross up to 54,000 tons of the Leviathan type and total approximately 225,000 gross tons.

A report was current in shipping circles yesterday that one of the submarine boat companies had been approached regarding the sale of a submarine which certain persons desired to acquire with a view of meeting ships outside the three-mile zone and taking on stocks of liquor which could be brought into secret ports after the manner in which the German U-boat Deutschland evaded the blockade and entered Baltimore harbor.

MINISTERS TURN LABORERS

Forced to Supplement Meagre Salaries by Factory Work

New York, Dec. 27.—Hundreds of American clergymen are driving rural free delivery wagons, raising chickens or working in factories in a vain endeavor to meet the high cost of living.

The interchurch world movement suddenly has awakened to the numbers who are forced to supplement the salaries received for pastors' duties and has called a convention to attempt a remedy.

Statistics which the relief board of the interchurch movement has prepared show that there are many ministers running truck, poultry or Belgian hare farms as a side line. That scores of others pour molten lead in foundries during the daytime and write sermons or visit parishioners at night and that others hire out by the hour as paperhangers or janitors. In the cities where the intellectual demand in ministers is greater, they often act as stenographers to library workers or do research work for public speakers.

Religious statistics point to one man who acts as an auctioneer during the week and employs the same stentorian voice from the pulpit on the seventh day.

FROZEN TO DEATH

Trappers Rescue Mother and Infant After Two Perish in Snow Drift

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 27.—Battling drifting snows in a temperature 30 degrees below zero, George Massey and A. L. Herrick, government trappers and hunters of Vernal, Utah, succeeded yesterday in rescuing Mrs. Fred Hicks and her infant son at Diamond Mountain, after her husband and Oliver P. Sanford had been overcome and perished in a blizzard.

Hicks and Sanford were employed at a saw mill at iDamond Mountain. Food was needed and they set out on their horses. After fighting off cold and hunger, men with their horses sank into the snow. The men and the animals were frozen to death.

The government men came upon the bodies, and then went to the shack of Mrs. Hicks, who, with her son, were at the point of death through hunger.

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The transfer books will be closed for 10 days prior to the 5th day of January.

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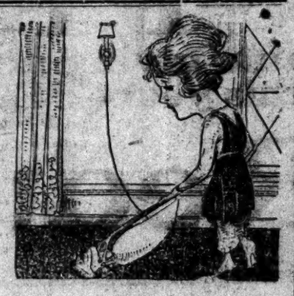

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BEATTY TRIAL JUDGE IS DEAD

Judge Watson Dead—Mastoiditis Claims Life of Representative

Representative Walter A. Watson, of Virginia, who as a judge tried the Beatty murder case several years ago, died at 1:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Episcopal, Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital following a lingering illness from mastoiditis.

Physicians gave up hope for Representative Watson's recovery several days ago after a third unsuccessful operation had been performed by Drs. William B. Mason and Sterling Ruffin.

Mr. Watson is survived by his widow, who, before her marriage was Miss Constance Tinsley, of Richmond, Va.; two brothers and four sisters.

Mr. Watson was born November 25, 1867, in Nottoway County, Va. He was educated at "old field" schools, Hampden-Sidney College, and the University of Virginia. He taught school two years, was a farmer and then a lawyer. He was judge of the Fourth Judicial Circuit Court of Virginia eight years, and resigned to run for Congress after having served as Commonwealth Attorney, State Senator and a member of the Virginia Constitutional Convention in 1901 and 1902. He was elected to the 63rd, 64th, 65th and 66th Congresses.

Funeral services were held at the old Watson home, "Woodland," in Nottoway county, this afternoon.

The body reached Richmond about 7 o'clock this morning from Washington.

In the party which accompanied the body besides members of the family, were Senator Claude A. Swanson, Representatives Harry D. Flood, T. W. Harrison, S. O. Bland, J. P. Woods, E. E. Holland, E. W. Saunders and A. J. Montague, of Virginia, and C. C. Dickinson, of Missouri.

Joseph J. Sinnott, minority doorkeeper of the House, and other House officials, were also of the funeral party, as well as Dr. Sterling Ruffin and Dr. Nash.

On account of wishes expressed by Representative Watson to the contrary, the usual funeral committee was not named by the Speaker of the House and the Vice President.

President Wilson yesterday sent a message of sympathy to Mrs. Watson. The message read:

"Mrs. Wilson and I beg to extend to you our sincere sympathy in the loss of your husband. He was a devoted public servant."

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"BUCKING THE TIGER" SHUBERT-GARRICK THEATRE

At the Shubert's Garrick Theatre next Sunday evening will be presented "Bucking the Tiger," a melodramatic comedy adapted by May Tully from the novel by Achmed Abdullah. The new play is novel in theme and treatment of action and marks the first production of Lewis J. Selznick, President of the Selznick Picture Enterprises, as a producer on the speaking stage.

Mr. Selznick has taken care to select a strong cast for his opening play. There are no stars, but players have been selected for their individual fitness for the roles. They include: Forrest Winant, formerly of "Turn to the Right." William Meehan, who will be remembered as the delightful crook in "Turn to the Right;" Benjamin Kauser, last seen in "Thunder," Walter Kingsford, eminent English actor, formerly of "Madame Sands;" William Fitzsimmons, famous portrayer of comedy characters; Fania Marinoff, leading woman of the Greenwich Village theatre, New York City; Regina Wallace, identified with several New York productions, Ryder Keane, James Boschell, Cyril Chadwick, Ben Hendricks and Armand Robie.

"Bucking the Tiger" has not been seen yet in New York, but will go to a Broadway house after a short tour out of town. There will be matinees New Year's Day and Saturday.

FIRED AT CAIRO OFFICIAL

An unsuccessful attempt was made Monday to assassinate Chief Engineer Peckitt, of the state railways, of Egypt, while he was on a tour of inspection. The assailant escaped after firing a pistol at Peckitt, who was not injured.

DRINK KILLS EIGHT

Four Men Are Under Arrest in Hartford For Selling Liquor

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 27.—Eight men are dead, four from drinking liquor which they thought was whisky. Four are under arrest in connection with the deaths.

Twelve barrels of a mixture presumed to be palatable, but requiring water to lessen its strength, were bought of a New York firm for $12,000, according to statements made to the police. The police opinion is that the liquid has a wood alcohol base and a coloring was added to make it look like whisky.

The liquid was served over the bar of a saloon, the owner of which is under arrest. They also are trying to trace other shipments both to this city and to Holyoke, Mass. The city police are attempting to warn persons who bought the liquid in bottles at the saloon for holiday use.

The first death came yesterday forenoon, another in the afternoon, and then with the third in the the evening, police attention was called to the likelihood of other deaths. Five occurred during the night. Those who died were of foreign birth.

MAID LEFT $250,000

Mrs. Knight, of Boston, Wills Home And Funds to Servant

Boston, Dec. 27.—The faithfulness and kindness with which Miss Agnes Jane McNevin cared for Mrs. Mary C. Knight during the many years she served her as maid, were rewarded yesterday when she was given the Knight home, its furnishings and funds, the total value of which was estimated at $250,000.000.

The will of Mrs. Knight, who died at her home in the Roxbury district two months ago at the age of 78 years, was admitted to probate today. The beneficiaries of the $800,000 estate besides Miss McNevin, are largely public institutions.

FALLS 3 STORIES TO DEATH

Boy, 11, Plunges off Porch While Playing at Christmas Party

Richmond, Va., Dec. 27.—Joseph Jarvis, aged 11, was instantly killed yesterday evening when he plunged from a 3rd floor porch to the pavement below. The lad was participating in a Sunday School Christmas party, and while playing games dashed out of the window and over the railing.

Paralyzed with fear, his playmates, who had followed him to the porch, were unable to shout a warning to Mrs. T. C. Irving and her brother, W. C. Burton, who were standing on the pavement directly below the porch when the body of the boy crashed to the pavement beside them. Either one could have rescued the lad.

BANKS HAVE RECORD YEAR

Richmond Institutions to Pay Extra Dividends; City Prosperous

Richmond, Va., Dec. 27.—Richmond banks will break all records in gain in deposits for the year 1919 according to a survey made by financial men. The announcement is made that on January 1, 1920, these banks will pay out dividends ranging from 1 1-2 per cent to 10 per cent semiannually, with an extra 5 per cent, making practically 25 per cent for the year.

Richmond business houses and manufacturing plants actually made too much money during the year 1919, said Oliver J. Sands, president of the American National Bank last night. This condition of affairs had resulted in an inflation of credits and had tended to decrease the purchasing power of the dollar, Mr. Sands declared.

WILL RELINQUISH CONTROL

Government Will Surrender Railroads and Express March 1st.

President Wilson issued two proclamations this week announcing that Federal control of the railroads and of American Railway Express Company would be relinquished by the government on March 1, 1920, at 12.01 a. m.

The President's reason for setting the date for the return of the railroads to private owners until March instead of January 1 were set forth in a statement issued by Secretary Tumulty.

BOY KILLED BY AUTO

Wilkes Barre, Pa., Dec. 27.—While coasting on a steep hill in Edwardsville yesterday, Leo Noval, aged 9, met death under the wheels of an automobile owned and driven by John Souman.

Boys were posted as guards at the intersection of streets. Noval started down the hill and efforts were made to warn him of the automobile's approach. He reached the street intersection just in time to slide between the wheels and be crushed to death.

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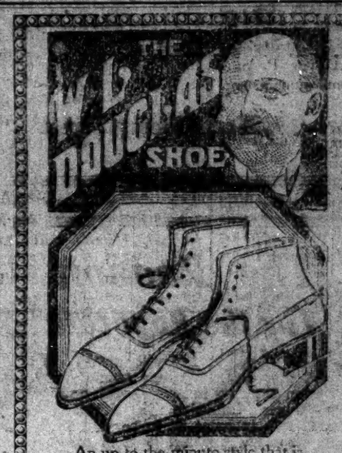

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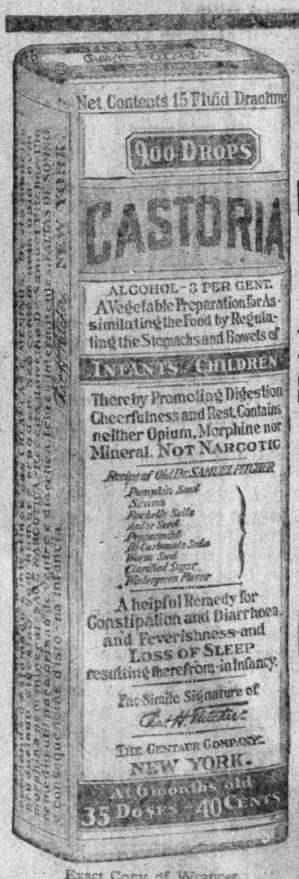
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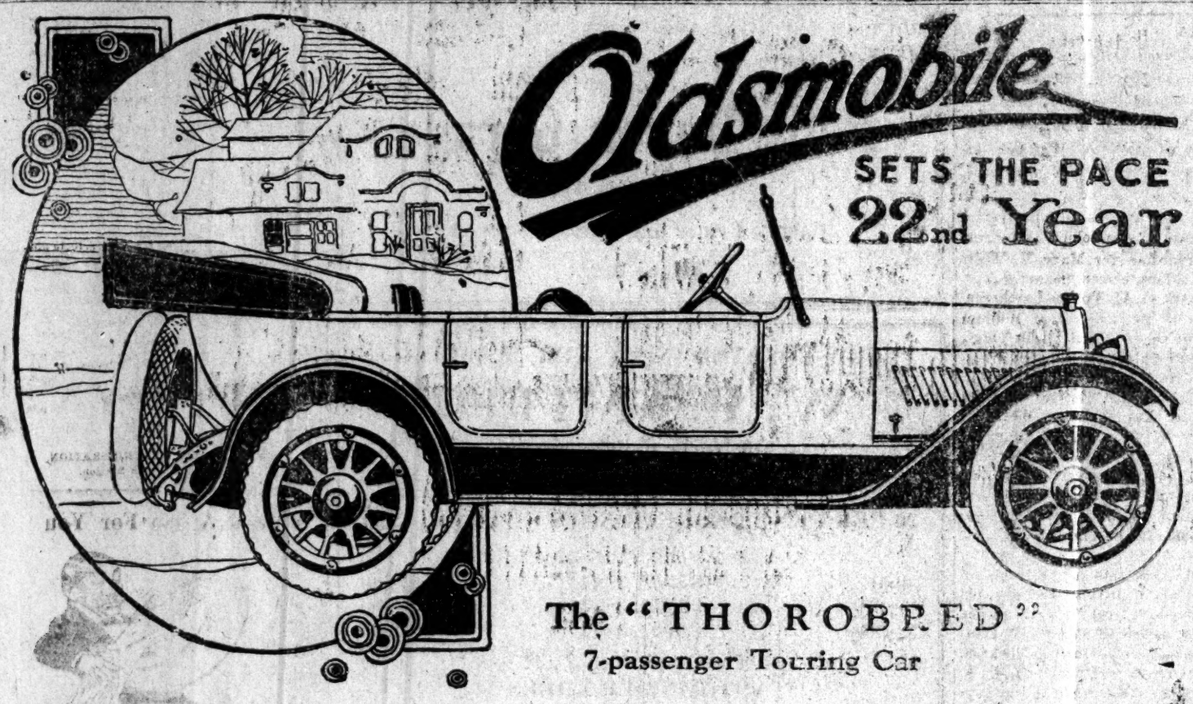

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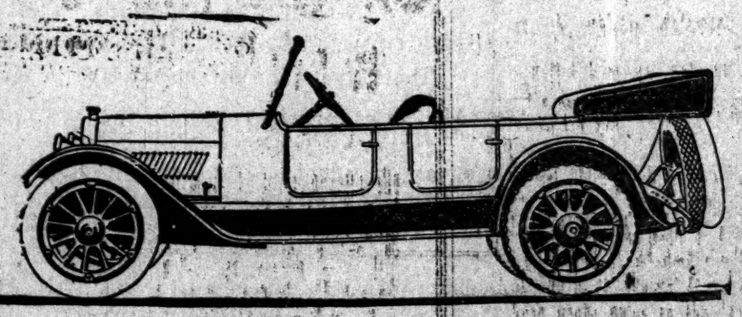

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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Ontario Apartment House Company for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at No. 109 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., January 13th, 1920, at 10:30 o'clock.

Charles D. Walcott, President.
306-15t A. M. McLachlen, Secty.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Iowa Apartment House Company for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at No. 109 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., January 13th, 1920, at ten o'clock.

Charles D. Walcott, President.
306-15t A. M. McLachlen, Secty

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 8th day of December, 1919.

Beatrice Dukehart, complainant vs. George Jerome Dukehart, defendant. In Chancery No. 891.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant upon the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant George Jerome Dukehart is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

R. B. Washington, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc. Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 4th day of December, 1919.

Ollie Smith, Complainant vs James Smith, defendant. In Chancery No. 542.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the ground of adultery and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James Smith is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
291-4wp Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 15th day of December, 1919.

Edna Eaves, complainant vs. Floyd Eaves, defendant. In chancery No. 548.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from defendant on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Floyd Eaves is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
302-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 29th day of November, 1919.

Nannie Harden, complainant vs. Jesse R. Harden, defendant. In Chancery No. 539.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtai a divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant upon the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment; the custody of their children and general relief.

It appearig by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Jesse R. Harden is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.
A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GRENAWAY,
290-4wc. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 26th day of November, 1919.

LeRoy Scribner, complainant vs Jennie Thompson Scribner, defendant. In Chancery No. 882.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant from the defendant on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Jennie Thompson Scribner is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Richard B. Washington, P. Q.
A Copy —Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
290-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of December, 1919.

Hermond L. Steward, complainant vs. Miriam E. J. Steward, defendant. In Chancery No. 889.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant an absolute divorce upon the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Miriam E. J. Steward is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

William P. Woolls, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1919.

Edith Lowry Copeland, Complainant vs. William E. Copeland, defendant. In Chancery No. 897.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the Complainant a limited divorce from the defendant and upon the passage of the statutory period of three years to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, custody of infant child, resumption of maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant William E. Copeland is a non-resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteer days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
303-4wc Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 29th day of November, 1919.

Virginia B. R. Miller, complainan vs. Donavin Miller, defendant. In Chancery No. 540.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from bed and board from the defendan upon the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment with leave at the end of three years from June 7, 1919 to apply to the court to have such decree merged and enlarged into a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Donovan Miller is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteer days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Crandal Mackey, P. Q.
A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc. Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 8th day of December, 1919.

Marion M. O'Connell, Complainant vs. Daniel Emmett O'Connell, Defendant. In Chancery No. 892.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant a divorce a mensa et thoro upon the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, and upon the expiration of the statuatory period, to have said divorce made absolute; the right to resume her maiden name of, to-wit: Marion M. Snyder and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Daniel Emmett O'Connell is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protest his interest in this suit.

William P. Woolls, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc. Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 4th day of December, 1919.

Edward W. Crump, complainant vs Sarah F. Crump, defendant. In Chancery No. 543.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the time of the filing of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Sarah F Crump is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr. P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
291-4wp Clerk.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at No. 109 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., January 13th, 1920, at 11 o'clock.

A. M. McLachlen, President.
306-15t L. P. McLachlen, Secty.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1919.

Marie A. W. Reymann, complainant vs. Benedict Charles Reymann, defendant. In Chancery No. 896.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant from the defendant on the ground of desertion for a period of more than three years last past, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Benedict Charles Reymann is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Gardner L. Boothe. P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
303-4wc Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of December, 1919.

James Edward Olden, complainant vs Ada M. P. Olden, defendant. In Chancery No. 894.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant an absolute divorce upon the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Ada M. P. Olden is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

William P. Woolls. P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 12th day of December, 1919.

Rena Dawson Mole, complainant vs. James R. Mole, defendant. In Chancery No. 546. MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the Complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, resumption of maiden name and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James R. Mole is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc. Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of December, 1919.

Albert B. Crigler, complainant vs. Mary A. Johnson Crigler, defendant. In Chancery No. 888.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro for the complainant Albert B. Crigler, from the defendant Mary A. Johnson Crigler on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse from the 19th day of July 1918, until the present time, and at the proper time to be merged into a divorce a vinculo matrimonii.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Mary A. Johnson Crigler is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
296-4wc. Clerk.

PROPOSALS

Office of Constructing Quartermaster, Camp A. A. Humphreys, Va. Sealed proposals are invited for constructing 8 bungalows at Camp Humphreys, information furnished on application at office of Constructing Quartermaster, Camp Humphreys, or will be sent upon receipt of certified check of $10 as deposit. Constructing Quartermaster reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be opened at 2 p. m., January 2, 1920, at office of Constructing Quartermaster, Camp Humphreys, Va. 303-3c

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WANTED—Men's cast off clothes. Phone 1097. Will call city or suburbs. Expert cleaner and presser. Will call and deliver same day. Suits pressed, 50 cents cleaned and pressed, $1.25. Wolfson, the tailor, 307 King street 293-26t

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LOST—On Wednesday, December 24, while on the streets, a gold watch chain, valued for its association. Suitable reward if returned to 423 North Columbus street. 306-3p

LOST—Automobile truck chain between Alexandria and Convalescent Camp. Finder please return and receive reward. W. A. Barnett, 115 King street. 307-2p

PUBLIC SALE

OF House And Large Lot And Also House And One Acre of Land

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on December 18th, 1919, in the Chancery cause therein depending of Augusta Jones, et als., Complainants, against Samuel Franklin, Defendant, the undersigned Commissioners of Sale were therein ordered to expose for sale, at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, decedent George W. Franklin's real estate, hereinafter described.

Therefore, in pursuance of said decree the undersigned special commissioners of sale will expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash said real estate on SATURDAY, January 3, 1920, at 12 m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, being bounded and described as follows, to wit:

FIRST—A house and large lot of ground known as No 1005-7 1-2 Oronoco street, located on the north side of Oronoco Street between Patrick and Henry Streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the north side of Oronoco Street 43 feet 5 inches west of Patrick street and running thence west on Oronoco St, 46 feet; thence north parallel with Patrick Street 120 feet to an alley; thence east on said alley 40 feet; and thence south parallel to Patrick Street 120 feet to the beginning. (This is part of the property conveyed to William Gregory by deed recorded in Liber F No. 3 page 20 and which by deed dated July 14, 1883, was conveyed to said George W. Franklin by William B. Gregory and William G. Thomson, Executors of William Gregory, and recorded among said Alexandria City land records in Liber 15, page 380).

SECOND—A house and parcel of ground in Alexandria County, Virginia, located on the south side of the Old Braddock Road (near Seminary and Donaldson's store), being acquired by said George W. Franklin by two deeds, and therein described as follows, to wit:

(a) Beginning at a stone on the south side of the Old Braddock Road, and which marks the northeast corner of the entire tract, and thence along the south side of the said road N 81 degrees W. 183.54 feet to a stake; thence south 9 degrees West 161.8 feet to a stake; thence S. 81 degrees E. 182.36 feet to a stake in a ditch, and thence N. 9 degrees 25' E. 161.8 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances, containing .6795 of an acre, as per a survey and plat thereof made by L. T. Haney, County Surveyor and being conveyed to said George W. Franklin by deed dated September 12, 1901, and recorded among said County land records in Liber 108, page 104, and

(b) Beginning at a stone on the south side of the Old Braddock Road, the northwest corner of the lot sold by Robert James and wife (grantors in deed immediately above referred to) to said George W. Franklin by deed recorded in Liber 108 page 104, and running thence along said Road North 81 degrees West to the Western boundary of the entire tract as shown on plat attached to the above mentioned deed; thence South 9 degrees W. 161.8 feet to a stone; thence eastwardly to the southwest corner of the lot of ground conveyed as above mentioned; and thence along the said Franklin's line to the beginning, and being conveyed to said George W. Franklin by Robert James and wife by deed dated July 2, 1910, and recorded among said County land records in Liber 130 page 308.

Terms: Cash. Conveyancing and stamps to be at cost of purchaser.

R. B. Washington
Robinson Moncure
Special Commissioners of Sale

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit of Alexandria, Virginia, December 18, 1919.

I, N. S. Greenaway, Clerk of aforesaid Court, do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above said special commissioners of sale has duly given bond as provided by law and decree entered in the above named cause with sufficient surety for the due performance of his duties as such.

Teste:

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
302-11c.

NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company:

This is to advise that the annual meeting of the stockholder of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company will be held at the principal office of the company No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., between the hours of 12 and 1 p. m., on the 26th day of January, 1920, for the transaction of such business as may properly be transacted at such meeting, and at which meeting the following resolution will be submitted to the stockholders, for action thereon, viz:

RESOLVED—That the Board of the annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation, to be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., between the hours of 12 and 1 p. m., on the 26th day of January, 1920, that the board of directors be authorized and empowered to dispose of the one thousand shares of the common stock of the corporation, now in the Treasury or so much thereof as the board may deem necessary, from time to time, for the purposes and uses of the corporation, the same to be sold at par for cash, and in their judgment they may dispose of such portions thereof as the board may deem expedient in the payment of cash dividends that may be declared from time to time by the board on the common stock of the corporation. In no event, however, shall the said stock be disposed of at less than its par value.

D. A. Smith, Secretary.
By order of the board of directors.
300-31t.

Receivers' Sale of Valuable Property In Rosslyn, Alexandria County Virginia

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria County, Virginia, at the December term, 1919, in the chancery cause of Katherine C. Curtin vs. Arlington Brewing Co. et als the undersigned receivers therein appointed for the purpose will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction upon the premises in the Town of Rosslyn, Alexandria County Virginia on SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1920, at 11 o'clock a. m., that certain parcel or tract of land located at Rosslyn, in Arlington Magisterial District, Alexandria County, Va., described as containing two acres of solid ground more or less, together with all singular, the riparian rights, and other easements and also the accretions that belong or may belong to the said tract of land, together with all buildings, structures and improvements on said land, and all fixtures machinery, implements and tools in said building, except the Ice Plant machinery and fixtures, the said property being the same whereon the Arlington Brewing Company formerly conducted a Brewing business.

There are two large brick buildings on the said land The larger of these buildings is fire proof, is four stories in height, being constructed of steel, brick and concrete. The property is within One Hundred yards of three railroads and lies along the banks of the Potomac River. The water is deep and ships can approach the plant. Harbor facilities are excellent. Washington City lies directly across the river. The property is situated ideally for manufacturing purposes and ice and cold storage plant Terms of sale. Cash. A deposit of $5000 will be required of successful bidder on day of sale. Sale to be consumated within fifteen days, from date of sale or property to be resold at the cost of the defaulting purchaser

William C. Gloth, Rosslyn, Virginia
F. S. Mc Candlish, Fairfax, Virginia
Receivers

I hereby certify that William C Gloth and F. S. McCandlish, receivers in the cause of Katherine C. Curtin vs Arlington Brewing Co., et als have executed bond in the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars as required by a decree in the above entitled cause conditioned as the law directs.

Alan B. Pressie,
Clerk of Circuit Court Alex. Co., Va
B. Fields, Auctioneer
302-Tues and Thurs. 5wc.

IRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 23rd day of December, 1919.

Bessie N. Whitlock in her own right as widow of John A. Whitlock deceased, and as creditor of his estate, in behalf of herself and all others who may come, etc., and also as Administratrix of the estate of said John A. Whitlock, and as guardian for Mary V. Whitlock, an infant eleven years of age Complainant vs. C. Shirley Leachman Executor of the last will of William H. Peck deceased, Minnie I. McGeary, former wife of said William H. Peck, and William Peck and Harvey I. Peck, infants, aged 14 and 12 years respectively and William Whitlock and Mary V. Whitlock, an infant 11 years of age, and Aylett B. Nicol, a discreet and competent attorney practicing in this Court, designated as Guardian ad litem for said 3 infant Defendants, In Chancery No. 551. MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a conveyance of premises 400 and 402 North Payne Street located at the Northwest corner of Payne and Princess streets, Alexandria city, Virginia. from the estate of William H. Peck. to subject said real estate to the payment of the debts of John A. Whitlock, deceased; to obtain for the complainant her commuted, dower therein and funds which she has paid out for the estate of her deceased husband; to sell same for the benefit of Mary V. Whitlock, and the application of her interests therein for her support and maintainance and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Minnie I. McGeary, former wife of said William H. Peck and William Peck and Harvey I. Peck, infants, aged 14 and 12 years respectively, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered: That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

Moncure, Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
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Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains. Alexandria, Va. The following schedule is as published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:25 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	3:18 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:58 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	9:18 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:18 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
3:47 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:08 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	11:03 a.m.
	Washington-Charlottesville	
4:22 p.m.	(Local)	10:58 a.m.
	Washington-Warrenton	
5:22 p.m.	(Local)	7:53 a.m.
7:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Aiken-Augusta	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:43 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:02 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:26 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	
	(Local)	6:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON-SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:32 a.m.	(Coaches only)	
	Alexandria-Quantico-Fredericksburg and local beyond	
	Washington-Richmond	
7:55 a.m.	(Local)	11:52 a.m.
	New York-Jacksonville	
10:07 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
12:12 p.m.	(Local)	5:33 p.m.
	New York-Palm Beach-Key West	
2:02 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:10 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Memphis	
5:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5:27 p.m.	(Local)	7:37 p.m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:20 a.m.
9:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Jacksonville-P. B.	9:10 a.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
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THEATRES

GRAND THEATRE

Harry Carey, the popular western cowboy star, will be seen at the Grand Theatre in his newest photoplay of the west, entitled "A Gun Fightin' Gentleman." The new picture promises everything that has made this actor popular with lovers of western types of photoplays, and has the additional interest of having been written by Carey himself while the player was on his recent personal appearance tour.

Kathleen O'Connor, the clever leading woman, who is seen with James J. Corbett in Mr. Corbett's recently released serial, plays opposite Mary Merritt, a society girl, the daughter of a Chicago meat packer with whom Carey, as Cheyenne Harry Buford, engages in a battle of wits and force for possession of some Wyoming cattle land. Jack Ford directed the production at Universal City. "A Gun Fightin' Gentleman" will begin at the Grand Theatre tonight.

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Intense thrills vie with situations hitherto unknown in photoplays of the great West in Louis Bennison's newest Betzwood picture, "Sandy Eurke of the U Bar U." which Goldwyn will present at the Ingomar Theatre today. In the role of Sandy Burke the brilliant artist surpasses his notable characterization of Johnny Wiggins in his celebrated stage success, "Johnny, Get Your Gun," and is given even freer rein to demonstrate his right to screen stardom than was afforded him in his remarkably successful "Oh, Johnny!" his first cinema starring vehicle.

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New York, Dec. 26.—Frank Strepsky is in jail under $2500 bail and his wife, Anne, is in Bellevue Hospital with a broken leg, all as a result of a Christmas Eve celebration at their home. Strepsky told Magistrate Koenig, in Essex Market Court yesterday, that his share of two gallons of whisky had rendered his memory imperfect.

The police, however, have gathered evidence to the effect that the husband, enthused with the Christmas spirit, evidenced his affection for his wife in an extraordinary manner. This was by pulling her leg over his knee and breaking it twice, as kindling wood is broken. The guests, alarmed at the procedure, summoned a policeman, who summoned an ambulance and a patrol wagon.

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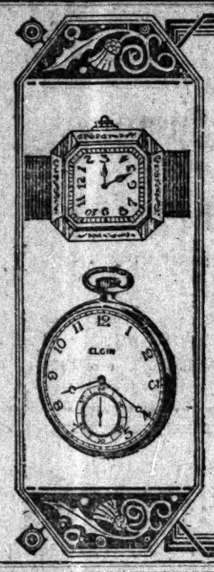

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